

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
HIROSHI MATSUDA, ET AL.) : Examiner: M. S. Sahle
Application No.: 10/552,996) : Group Art Unit: 2873
Filed: October 10, 2006) : Confirmation No.: 5856
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits and in further response to the final Office Action dated December 24, 2008, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: